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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending December 29, 2001

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There was an increase in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending December 29 according to the Department of Workforce Development.

UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$14,119,394
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$598,804,492
Trust fund balance	\$1,307,971,858

A total of 87,753 unemploy-

ment claims were filed during the week. This was up 4,424 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 75,345 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 19,426 an increase of 6,776 over the preceding week's total. Temporary layoffs were reported in several plants around the state during the week.

Continued UI claims were down to 67,003. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

Unemployment Insurance Trends

